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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

Claims 4-5 and 7-9 are pending in this application. Original claim 4 has been amended. New claims 7-9 have been added. Claims 1-3 and 6 have been cancelled.

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

Claim 1-3 (Cancelled):

Claim 4 (Currently Amended): A material for clothing comprising ~~the~~
an asymmetric porous polytetrafluoroethylene membrane for clothing of Claim 1 and
a woven or non-woven fabric,
wherein said asymmetric porous polytetrafluoroethylene membrane for clothing has a dense
skin layer and a continuously foamed porous layer;

(1) the contact angle of water to the surface of said skin layer is 120 to 140°;
(2) the diffuse reflectance of light of said skin layer is 91 to 94%; and,
the woven or non-woven fabric is laminated on the dense skin layer of said asymmetric
porous polytetrafluoroethylene membrane for clothing.

Claim 5 (Original): The material for clothing of Claim 4, wherein said woven fabric is polyester, nylon or cotton.

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Claim 6 (Cancelled):

Claim 7 (New): The material for clothing of Claim 4, wherein said asymmetric porous polytetrafluoroethylene membrane for clothing is obtained by drawing in a biaxial direction.

Claim 8 (New): The material for clothing of Claim 4, wherein said asymmetric porous polytetrafluoroethylene membrane for clothing has a membrane thickness of 10 to 100 μm .

Claim 9 (New): The material for clothing of claim 7, wherein said asymmetric porous polytetrafluoroethylene membrane for clothing has a membrane thickness of 10 to 100 μm .